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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:
THEODORUS H J BISSCHOPS ET AL.

Confirmation Number: 5098

Application No.: 10/613,094

Group Art Unit: 2851

Filed: July 7, 2003

Examiner: Kim

For: GAS BEARINGS FOR USE WITH VACUUM CHAMBERS AND THEIR APPLICATION IN
LITHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

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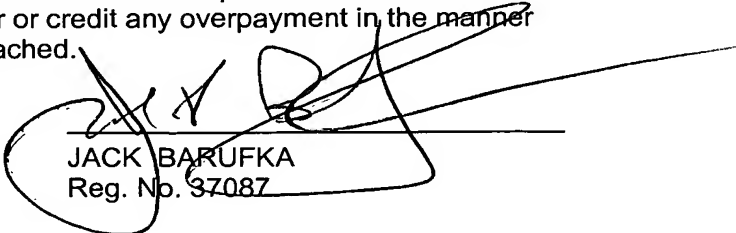
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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	26	— 26	= 0 x \$	= \$	
INDEP.	3	— 3	= 0 x \$	= \$	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$	= \$	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 0.00

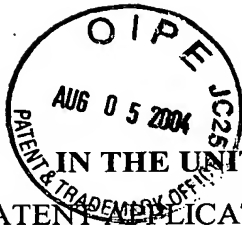
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Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2004, please consider the following remarks.